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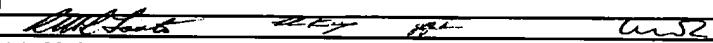
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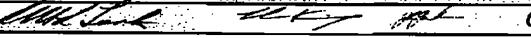
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**AMENDMENT B**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 25, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper. The Applicant submits that these amendments introduce no new matter.**

**Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.**

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6. (Previously presented) The printhead of claim 1 in which the recess is a slot, and the projection is hemispherical.
7. (Currently amended) The printhead of claim 1 in which, for the ~~or each~~ printhead module, the complementary location formations further comprises a second pair of complementary location formations comprising a projection and a correspondingly sized recess for receiving the projection to locate the, ~~or each~~ printhead module in a longitudinal direction within the receiving member.
8. (Previously presented) The printhead of claim 7 in which the recesses of the first and second pair of complementary location formations are formed in a first wall of the, ~~or each~~ printhead module, and the projections of the first and second pair of complementary location formations are formed in a first wall of the receiving member.
9. (Previously presented) The printhead of claim 8 wherein the recesses of the first and second pair of complementary location formations are substantially triangular, when viewed in cross section normal to the longitudinal axis
10. (Currently amended) The printhead of claim 8 in which, for the, ~~or each~~, printhead module, the complementary location formations further comprises a third pair of complementary location formations comprising a projection and a recess, the third formation of the receiving member being formed in a second wall of the receiving member opposite the first wall, the third formation of the, ~~or each~~ printhead module being formed in a second wall of the, ~~or each~~ printhead module.
11. (Previously presented) The printhead of claim 10 in which the third pair of complementary formations comprises a snap release extending from the second wall of the receiving member and a third recess formed in the printhead module, wherein the snap release is received in the third recess such that an inner end of the snap release abuts against a wall of the third recess.
12. (Currently amended) The printhead of claim 11 in which the width of the, ~~or each~~ printhead module is less than a spacing between the first and second opposed walls of the

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receiving member, and for the, ~~or each~~ printhead module, the snap release urges the printhead module towards the first wall of the receiving member such that the projections of the first and second complementary location formations are received in the respective recesses of the first and second complementary location formations.

13. (Previously presented) The printhead of claim 12 in which the snap release is mounted on a resiliently flexible arm of the second wall of the receiving member.

14. (Previously presented) The printhead of claim 11 in which the length of the snap release in the longitudinal direction is shorter than the length of the third recess.

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The Applicant submits that this response is fully responsive to all of the rejections raised in the Office Action. Accordingly, further reconsideration of the Application is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

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